NOTIFICATION

The following notification is being circulated in accordance with Article 10.4.

1. Party to Agreement notifying: SWEDEN

2. Agency responsible: Telecommunications Administration

3. Notified under Article 2.5.2 [ ], 2.6.1 [], 7.3.2 [], 7.4.1 [], Other:

4. Products covered (CCCN where applicable, otherwise national tariff heading):
   Equipment for telephone and data transmission (ex CCCN 85.13)

5. Title: Provisions Concerning Privately-Owned Subscriber Equipment for Connection to the Public Telecommunications Network

6. Description of content: The Swedish Telecommunications Administration has issued a new edition of the Directive with provisions concerning privately-owned subscriber equipment for connection to the public telecommunications network. The Administration owns the lines and the equipment belonging to this network in Sweden. Outside users may on certain conditions connect their own equipment to the network or to the Administration's equipment. Only equipment approved by the Administration may be connected. Approval is granted for such private equipment that belongs to another product field than that to which the Administration has the sole and exclusive right. Furthermore, the equipment shall meet the technical requirements in force. The changes in the new edition of the Directive mainly consist of a modification of the approval procedure, implying that the necessary testing is no longer administrated by the office for approval. Instead, a test report from a recognized laboratory is to be submitted together with the application for approval. In addition to laboratories of the Administration, the National Testing Institute (statens provningsanstalt) is listed as an approved test laboratory.

7. Objective and rationale: Protection of safety to man and property


10. Final date for comments: 15 December 1986

11. Texts available from: National enquiry point [ ] or address of other body:

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